

## CONTINUED PROSECUTION APPLICATION (CPA) REQUEST TRANSMITTAL

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This is a request for a X continuation or divisional application under 37 CFR 1.53(d), (continued prosecution application (CPA)) of prior application number 09/047,348,										
filed on March 25, 1998 , entitled NOTIFICA	ATION APPARATUS AND MET	THOD THEREFOR								
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FILING QUALIFICATIONS: The prior application identified above must be a nonprovisional application that is either: (1) complete as defined by 37 CFR § 1.51(b), or (2) the national stage of an international application in compliance with 35 U.S.C. 371. A Notice will be placed on a patent issuing from a CPA, except for reissues and designs, to the effect that the patent issued on a CPA and is subject to the twenty-year patent term provisions of 35 U.S.C. § 154(a)(2). Therefore, the prior application of a CPA may have been filed before, on or after June 8, 1995.										
C-I-P NOT PERMITTED: A continuation-in-part application cannot be CFR § 1.53(b).	filed as a CPA under 37 CFR § 1.53(d), but	must be filed under 37								
EXPRESS ABANDONMENT OF PRIOR APPLICATION: The filing of this CPA is a request to expressly abandon the prior application as of the filing date of the request for a CPA. 37 CFR § 1.53(b) must be used to file a continuation, divisional, or continuation-in-part of an application that is not to be abandoned.  ACCESS TO PRIOR APPLICATION: The filing of this CPA will be construed to include a waiver of confidentiality by the applicant under 35 U.S.C. 122 to the extent that any member of the public who is entitled under the provisions of 37 CFR § 1.14 to access to, copies of, or information concerning, the prior application may be given similar access to, copies of, or similar information concerning, the other application or applications in the file jacket.										
									35 U.S.C. 120 STATEMENT: In a CPA, no reference to the prior appli should be submitted. If a sentence referencing the prior application is reference required by 35 U.S.C. 120 and to every application assigned § 1.78(a).	submitted it will not be entered. A request:
Enter the unentered amendments previously filed ounder 37 CFR § 1.116 in the prior nonprovisional and the prior nonprovisional	on <u>March 12, 2001 and May 14</u>	2001								
2. a. A preliminary amendment is enclosed.										
b. The applicant(s) presently intend(s) to file additional papers in this case shortly. Should the Examiner take this case up for action before receiving such papers, it is respectfully requested that the Examiner contact the attorneys for the applicant(s).										
3. This application is filed by fewer than all the inventors na	amed in the prior application, 3	7 CFR § 1.53(d)(4).								
a. DELETE the following inventor(s) named in th										
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b The inventors to be deleted are set forth on a	separate sheet attached hereto	348 500 500 500 500 500 500 500 500 500 50								
4. An Associate Power of Attorney is enclosed.		30472								
5. Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) is enclosed:	•	) 06								
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	CLAIM	s _	(1) FOR	(2) 1	NUMBER FILED	(3) NUMBER EXTRA	(4) RATE	(5) CALCULATIONS		
			OTAL CLAIMS 7 CFR § 1.16(c) or (j)	)	16-20 =	0	X \$ 18.00 =	\$-0-		
			DEPENDENT CLA 7 CFR § 1.16(b) or (i)		10-3 =	7	X \$ 80.00 =	\$560.00		
ļ		М	ULTIPLE DEPEN	NDENT CLAI	MS (if applicable) (37	CFR § 1.16(d))	\$270.00 =	\$-0-		
ļ						BASIC FEE (37 CFR § 1.16(a				
ļ				·		Total of	above Calculations	= \$1,270.00		
ļ			Reduction	n by 50% for	filing by small enti	ty (Note 37 CFR §§ 1.9,	1.27, 1.28).			
Į							TOTAL	= \$1,270.00		
	7. [ 8. [ 9. ] 10. [	a. A Small entity statement is enclosed b. A small entity statement was filed in the prior nonprovisional application and such status is still proper and desired. c. Is no longer claimed.  Small entity status: Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR § 1.27. A check in the amount of \$ 1,270.00 is enclosed.  The Commissioner is hereby authorized to credit overpayments or charge deficiencies in the following fees to Deposit Account No. 06-1205: a. X Fees required under 37 CFR § 1.16. b. X Fees required under 37 CFR § 1.17. c. Fees required under 37 CFR § 1.18.  Applicant requests suspension of action under 37 CFR § 1.103(b) for three months. (Fee of \$130.00 required under 37 CFR § 1.17(i) is enclosed).  1. a. Receipt For Facsimile Transmitted CPA (PTO/SB/29A).  B. Return Receipt Postcard (Should be specifically itemized. See MPEP 503).								
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